

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please cancel claims 1 through 49.

Please add claim 50 as follows.

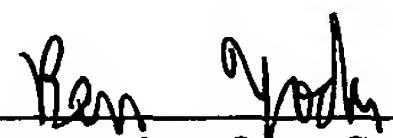
50. (New) A method for isolating a load that is separated from a floor, comprising:  
selecting a transfer function from a plurality of transfer functions;  
sensing movement of a point between the load and the floor;  
generating a feedback signal that corresponds to the sensed movement; and,  
generating a drive signal to drive an actuator in response to the feedback signal, the drive  
signal being a function of the selected transfer function.

The applicant has cancelled the original claims and added new claim 50. The applicant  
requests that the Examiner enter this amendment and examine the above-entitled application.

Respectfully submitted,

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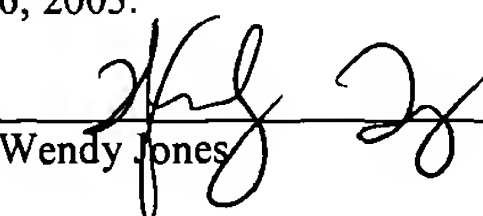
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